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## Range Hoods

Following is a sampling of new products in the range hood market.

1. Wolf Appliance offers its Pro Wall Hood featuring heat Sentry and dual setting halogen lighting. It's available in seven widths and has a stainless steel finish. A decorative rail is an additional option.

**Wolf Appliance Company, Circle 14**

2. The new QDE range hood from Broan is Energy Star qualified and offers total savings of 564 kilowatt hours compared to an equivalent model featuring halogen lights. In addition, the range hoods meet all the requirements for LEED and NAHB Model Green Home Building Guidelines.

**Broan, Circle 15**

3. With four variable fan speeds, the stainless steel Viking Range Professional Series VersaVent rear downdraft range hood quietly works behind cooktops to eliminate smoke and odors, and retracts into the countertop when work is complete. Suitable for rangetops and cooktops, it offers a 10-minute delay/off feature and choice of control options.

**Viking Range, Circle 16**

4. Electrolux ventilation hoods feature dual-configuration fans to move air quietly and quickly. Available in stainless, hoods are offered in glass canopy wall mount, glass canopy island mount and chimney ceiling mount. Timers can be set to automatically shut off the fan after a specified time.

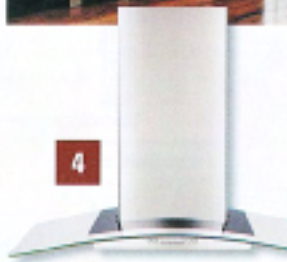
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5. Bosch's chimney hoods feature modern European design to complement both electric and gas cooktops. A 40-in. glass island hood is available in two control panels for easy access and four halogen lights.

**Bosch, Circle 18**

6. Imperial Cal Products has a full line of kitchen ventilation systems with over 50 styles and power choices in which to choose. Systems are available in power performance of 600 to 1,500 cfm.

**Imperial Cal Products, Inc., Circle 19**



7. The 70-in. island hood DA 5341D from Miele is available in stainless and provides a double blower. All hoods come with four speeds, centered controls, delayed shutdown and programmable filter timers that indicate when it's time to wash the dishwasher-safe filters.

**Miele, Circle 20**

8. The Model A range hood from Vent-A-Hood is available in 30- to 48-in. standard widths with 300 to 600 cfm from the Magic Lung blower. It's offered in standard painted finishes or can be ordered in special widths and paint colors.

**Vent-A-Hood, Circle 21**

**9.** Dacor offers a collection of re-engineered ventilation hoods featuring innovative electronic touch controls in Preference, Millennium, Epicure and Integrated styles. When operating in the Heat Sensor Mode, the ventilation hoods will automatically start and adjust speed based on ambient temperatures; they are ideal for cooktops and ranges that provide a high-heat output.

**Dacor. Circle 22**

**10.** Thermador introduces its Easy Lift hood with a unique pivoting glass canopy. The canopy can be lowered to effectively clear smoke above the cooking surface, as well as lifted for more headroom or ease during cleaning.

**Thermador. Circle 23**

**11.** The new Monogram 30-in. chimney hood from GE Appliance features a ventilation system that offers three speeds plus a 500-cfm boost to capture cooking fumes produced by 30-in. nonprofessional cooktops. It also includes a recirculation option and includes reversible duct covers for nonvented installations, eliminating the need for an optional kit.

**GE Appliances. Circle 24**

**12.** The Baroque range hood from RangeCraft offers a classic contemporary design style with seamless or riveted rounded corners, or decorative bands. It's designed utilizing such materials as copper, brass, stainless steel, or any combination of these materials in mirror or antique finishes.

**RangeCraft. Circle 25**

**13.** The SU47 wall-mounted range hood from Sirius Range Hoods features a stainless body fused to a hand-formed, gently curved 36-in. glass canopy. It includes a variable four-speed, 600-cfm aluminum blower.

**Sirius Range Hoods. Circle 26**

**14.** The new Roma Island hood from Zephyr is a free-standing version of its contemporary wall-mounted range hood. It's available in 36- and 41-in. widths, 600-cfm blower with 6-in. round duct, angled halogen lighting and push-button controls for three-speed blower and halogen lights.

**Zephyr. Circle 27**



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